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Table 1: Economy

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	529	486	536	586	621
Unemployment rate	%	6.8	6.0	6.7	7.3	7.3
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	2 073	2 406	-
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	15.3	19.6	-
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	7 902	8 163	-
Taxable individuals	no.	-	-	7 331	7 217	-
Non-taxable taxable individuals	\$m	-	-	25.4	27.3	-
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	34 687	38 506	-
Net tax	\$m	-	-	50.1	52.1	-
Average net tax	\$	-	-	6 831	7 213	-
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	15	12	-
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	9 424	9 622	-
Non-taxable taxable individuals	\$m	-	-	26.1	28.3	-
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	28 656	30 523	-
SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS & ALLOWANCES - at 30 June						
Age Pension - Capital	no.	2 263	2 320	2 386	2 456	2 527
Age Pension - DVA	no.	6	7	7	7	7
Care Payment	no.	112	122	130	150	189
Disability Support Pension	no.	15	15	15	15	15
Newstart Allowance	no.	580	552	588	584	569
Pensioner Payment - Single	no.	508	614	618	554	493
Youth Allowances	no.	320	364	337	315	295
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	64.4	63.2	64.2	65.5	63.2
ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	6 615	6 638	7 124	7 271	-
Wage and salary income	\$m	184.0	196.7	211.1	230.6	-
Average wage and salary income	\$	27 540	28 751	29 626	31 260	-
Own unincorporated business earners	no.	2 038	2 005	2 006	2 062	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	20.0	20.7	24.4	30.3	-
Average Own unincorporated business income	\$	14 103	13 320	22 159	14 703	-
Investment earners	no.	4 814	5 035	5 088	5 236	-
Investment income	\$m	15.1	15.3	15.5	22.6	-
Average investment income	\$	3 168	3 408	3 765	4 573	-
Superannuation and annuity earners	no.	420	470	480	517	-
Superannuation and annuity income	\$m	6.4	7.2	8.1	8.2	-
Average Superannuation and annuity income	\$	14 974	15 258	16 640	17 776	-
Other income earners (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	no.	770	861	872	943	-
Other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	1.1	1.5	1.2	2.1	-
Average other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$	1 413	1 744	1 380	2 528	-
Total income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	236.5	246.5	263.0	296.2	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	708	750	754	790	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	737	701	731	759	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	826	838	885	886	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	761	750	748	773	-
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no.	470	508	531	563	-
Males - 65 years and over	no.	92	100	128	152	-
Males - Total	no.	3 537	3 630	3 773	3 902	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	636	666	676	662	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	572	572	580	654	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	711	711	711	744	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	701	758	754	828	-
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no.	348	367	401	455	-
Females - 65 years and over	no.	49	49	49	49	-
Females - Total	no.	3 078	3 209	3 352	3 460	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	1 344	1 410	1 420	1 440	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	1 512	1 571	1 553	1 613	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	1 610	1 633	1 721	1 726	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	1 405	1 491	1 528	1 585	-
Persons - 55 years to 64 years	no.	871	973	975	1 018	-
Persons - 65 years and over	no.	128	145	185	182	-
Persons - Total	no.	6 615	6 638	7 124	7 372	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	446	470	474	488	-
Professionals	no.	580	612	625	647	-
Associate professionals	no.	34	34	34	37	-
Technicians and Related Workers	no.	715	728	755	768	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	111	108	115	115	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	300	300	300	300	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	562	561	570	581	-
Laborers and Related Workers	no.	680	743	749	821	-
Non-laborers	no.	1 647	1 686	1 776	1 853	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	6 017	6 037	7 124	7 373	-
ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 29 June						
Net worth per household	\$1000	312.9	-	-	-	-
Aggregate household net worth	\$m	2 227.2	-	-	-	-
Equivalised net worth	\$1000	208.4	-	-	-	-
Asset ratio	%	100.0	-	-	-	-
Liabilities per household	\$1000	43.9	-	-	-	-
Debt to asset ratio	%	12.3	-	-	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June	no.	-	-	-	-	-
Non-employing business entries	no.	500	875	900	860	-
Employing business entries 1-4 employees	no.	265	288	282	306	-
Employing businesses 5 or more employees	no.	231	234	243	252	-
Total businesses	no.	1 425	1 437	1 434	1 404	-
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business entries	no.	126	123	126	123	-
Employing business exits	no.	40	40	40	40	-
Total business entries	no.	166	166	163	216	-
Business Exits - year ended 29 June						
Non-employing business exits	no.	147	144	138	141	-
Employing business exits	no.	3	27	42	42	-
Total business exits	no.	150	171	180	163	-
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	387	363	360	356	-
Mining	no.	1	1	1	1	-
Manufacturing	no.	60	62	60	67	-
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	8	8	8	8	-
Construction	no.	163	174	165	160	-
Wholesale trade	no.	1	1	1	1	-
Retail trade	no.	213	218	218	218	-
Accommodation, cafe and restaurants	no.	38	42	33	39	-
Transport, postal and warehousing	no.	24	24	24	24	-
Communication services	no.	6	12	15	15	-
Finance and insurance	no.	51	51	45	51	-
Property and business services	no.	188	218	217	221	-
Education, health and community services	no.	4	4	4	4	-
Health and community services	no.	33	30	24	24	-
Cultural and recreational services	no.	48	48	45	51	-
Personal and other services	no.	49	50	49	49	-
Total businesses	no.	1 425	1 437	1 434	1 404	-



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Table 2: Population and People

		2004	2005
ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	599	562
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	647	650
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	665	679
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	631	633
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	528	561
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	506	526
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	612	595
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	658	681
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	665	692
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	605	628
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	533	545
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	566	554
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	507	542
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	383	394
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	329	332
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	262	280
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	150	163
Males - 85 years and over	no.	103	107
Males - Total	no.	8 949	9 124
 Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	531	534
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	660	637
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	626	657
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	582	581
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	461	495
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	438	452
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	564	526
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	612	637
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	663	646
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	575	623
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	562	578
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	570	578
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	464	487
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	412	441
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	322	335
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	303	304
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	260	264
Females - 85 years and over	no.	203	225
Females - Total	no.	8 808	9 000
 Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	1 130	1 096
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	1 307	1 287
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	1 291	1 336

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	1 213	1 214
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	989	1 056
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	944	978
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	1 176	1 121
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	1 270	1 318
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	1 328	1 338
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	1 180	1 251
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	1 095	1 123
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	1 136	1 132
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	971	1 029
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	795	835
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	651	667
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	565	584
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	410	427
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	306	332
Persons - Total	no.	17 757	18 124

POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June

Population density	persons/km2	-	-
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ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006

Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-

SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006

Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-

OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006

Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-

HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006

Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-

FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006

Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-

INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006

Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006

Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006

Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-

UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006

Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-

ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006

Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-

BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December

Births	no.	200	214
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Total fertility rate	rate	1.9	2.0
Deaths	no.	132	142
Standardised death rate	rate	6.3	6.2

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2006	2007	2008
537	564	616
639	632	620
684	673	686
640	639	652
600	617	624
530	543	562
573	579	578
696	680	708
720	740	756
651	658	672
559	559	580
547	548	560
545	565	575
420	445	460
363	351	358
279	296	290
177	176	197
99	117	126
9 259	9 382	9 620
547	542	578
613	618	583
682	675	680
602	612	648
496	526	552
468	485	515
516	497	506
650	671	681
637	639	640
648	660	686
586	594	589
590	570	581
511	561	575
440	426	442
344	369	383
312	297	304
257	267	264
244	261	274
9 143	9 270	9 481
1 084	1 106	1 194
1 252	1 250	1 203
1 366	1 348	1 366

1 242	1 251	1 300
1 096	1 143	1 176
998	1 028	1 077
1 089	1 076	1 084
1 346	1 351	1 389
1 357	1 379	1 396
1 299	1 318	1 358
1 145	1 153	1 169
1 137	1 118	1 141
1 056	1 126	1 150
860	871	902
707	720	741
591	593	594
434	443	461
343	378	400
18 402	18 652	19 101

10.4

4.5

0.8	-	-
5.3	-	-
1.4	-	-
0.4	-	-
0.6	-	-
1.3	-	-
0.3	-	-
0.2	-	-
0.2	-	-
10.6	-	-

5.5

versus 2006

0.3	-	-
0.5	-	-
3.4	-	-
3.9	-	-
17.8	-	-
13.7	-	-
39.5	-	-

13.9	-	-
8.6	-	-
13.5	-	-
9.4	-	-
10.9	-	-
9.6	-	-

7.3 - -
25.0 - -
1.8 - -

1 896 - -
178 - -
4 718 - -
6 792 - -

1 531 - -
330 - -
2 044 - -
601 - -
219 - -
66 - -
4 791 - -

13 588 - -
2 662 - -
8 945 - -
6 167 - -

0.0 - -
100.0 - -
0.0 - -
0.0 - -
0.0 - -

0.0 - -
79.5 - -
1.0 - -
19.5 - -

25.6 - -
20.8 - -
9.1 - -
1.2 - -
12.6 - -

18.0 - -
26.7 - -
0.9 - -
45.5 - -

2.1	2.2	2.2
131	153	156
6.0	6.1	6.1



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Table 3: Industry

		2004	2005
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June			
Private sector houses	no.	188	152
Total dwelling units	no.	197	157
Value of private sector houses	\$m	19.8	19.0
Value of new residential building	\$m	20.5	19.4
Value of total residential building	\$m	21.8	21.9
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	34.0	16.0
Value of total building	\$m	55.9	37.9
Average value of private sector houses	\$'000	105.5	125.3
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March			
Number by type of vehicle			
Passenger vehicles	no.	10 304	10 430
Campervans	no.	79	91
Light commercial vehicles	no.	2 284	2 298
Light rigid trucks	no.	57	50
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	377	354
Articulated trucks	no.	104	102
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	10	8
Buses	no.	72	62
Motorcycles	no.	463	442
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	13 748	13 835
Rate per 1,000 population			
Passenger vehicles	no.	580	575
Campervans	no.	4	5
Light commercial vehicles	no.	129	127
Light rigid trucks	no.	3	3
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	21	20
Articulated trucks	no.	6	6
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	1	0
Buses	no.	4	3
Motorcycles	no.	26	24
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	774	763
Age of vehicle			
Less than 5 years old	no.	2 164	2 363
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	3 114	3 121
10 years or older	no.	8 347	8 248
Number by type of fuel			
Petrol	no.	12 239	12 241

Diesel	no.	1 293	1 370
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	216	224

GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION * - year ended 30 June

Gross value of crops	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	\$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	\$m	-	-

AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June

Total area

Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-

Total number

Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS

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2006	2007	2008
175	166	250
182	169	250
23.0	22.8	33.6
23.8	23.1	33.6
26.4	24.3	35.5
10.2	18.8	11.4
36.7	43.0	46.8
131.5	137.2	134.4
10 758	10 916	11 866
84	92	99
2 349	2 459	2 634
64	56	61
386	382	395
107	126	149
7	7	7
69	71	72
504	508	587
14 327	14 617	15 871
585	585	621
5	5	5
128	132	138
3	3	3
21	20	21
6	7	8
0	0	0
4	4	4
27	27	31
779	784	831
2 596	2 709	2 756
3 291	3 305	3 638
8 343	8 515	9 407
12 596	12 720	13 691

1 491	1 649	1 933
240	248	248

46.8	-	-
27.5	-	-
23.6	-	-
98.0	-	-

132 533.4	-	-
33 920.1	-	-
553.9	-	-
311.0	-	-
313.9	-	-
1 505.2	-	-

102 523	-	-
14 686	-	-
8 366	-	-
30 686	-	-

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Table 4: Environment and Energy

	2004	2005
LAND AREA		
Land area	km2	-
WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS		
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-
Total water use	ML	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-

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2006	2007	2008
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-	-	1 831.8
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133	-	-
5	-	-
38 094	-	-
1 635	-	-
39 729	-	-
3.8	-	-